

Table 1. Fatal occupational injuries by event or exposure, 2000

Kansas

Event ¹	Fatalities	
	Number	Percent
Total	85	100
Transportation incidents	50	59
Highway	27	32
Collision between vehicles, mobile equipment	16	19
Moving in same direction	3	4
Moving in opposite directions, oncoming	5	6
Moving in intersection	6	7
Noncollision	7	8
Jack-knifed or overturned--no collision	7	8
Nonhighway (farm, industrial premises)	8	9
Vehicle, mobile equipment struck stationary object	4	5
Noncollision accident	3	4
Aircraft	10	12
Worker struck by vehicle, mobile equipment	3	4
Assaults and violent acts	5	6
Homicides	3	4
Shooting	3	4
Contact with objects and equipment	10	12
Struck by object	5	6
Struck by flying object	3	4
Caught in or compressed by equipment or objects ...	4	5
Falls	15	18
Fall to lower level	14	16
Fall from roof	4	5
Fall to lower level, n.e.c.	6	7

¹ Based on the 1992 BLS Occupational Injury and Illness Classification Manual.

NOTE: Totals for major categories may include subcategories not shown separately.

Percentages may not add to totals because of rounding.

SOURCE: U.S. Department of Labor, Bureau of Labor Statistics, in cooperation with State and Federal agencies, Census of Fatal Occupational Injuries

Table 2. Fatal occupational injuries by selected characteristics, 2000

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Worker characteristics	Fatalities	
	Number	Percent
Total	85	100
Employee status		
Wage and salary workers ¹	62	73
Self-employed ²	23	27
Sex		
Men	74	87
Women	11	13
Age		
Under 20 years	3	4
20 to 24 years	3	4
25 to 34 years	12	14
35 to 44 years	19	22
45 to 54 years	20	24
55 to 64 years	13	15
65 years and over	15	18
Race		
White	76	89
Black or African American	3	4
Hispanic or Latino	5	6

¹ May include volunteers and other workers receiving compensation.

² Includes paid and unpaid family workers, and may include owners of incorporated businesses, or members of partnerships.

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Table 3. Fatal occupational injuries by occupation, 2000

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Occupation ¹	Fatalities	
	Number	Percent
Total	85	100
Managerial and professional specialty	13	15
Executive, administrative, and managerial	10	12
Managers, food serving and lodging establishments	3	4
Managers and administrators, n.e.c.	3	4
Professional specialty	3	4
Technical, sales, and administrative support	9	11
Sales occupations	6	7
Supervisors and proprietors, sales occupations	4	5
Service occupations	10	12
Protective service occupations	5	6
Police and detectives, including supervisors	4	5
Service occupations, except protective and household	5	6
Cleaning and building service occupations, except household	3	4
Farming, forestry, and fishing	15	18
Farming operators and managers	12	14
Farmers, except horticultural	12	14
Precision production, craft, and repair	8	9
Construction trades	4	5
Construction trades, except supervisors	3	4
Operators, fabricators, and laborers	30	35
Machine operators, assemblers, and inspectors	3	4
Transportation and material moving occupations	20	24
Motor vehicle operators	16	19
Truck drivers	12	14
Material moving equipment operators	3	4
Handlers, equipment cleaners, helpers, and laborers	7	8
Construction laborers	3	4
Laborers, except construction	4	5

¹ Based on the 1990 Occupational Classification System developed by the Bureau of the Census.

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Table 4. Fatal occupational injuries by industry, 2000

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Industry ¹	Fatalities	
	Number	Percent
Total	85	100
Private industry	73	86
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	16	19
Agricultural production - crops	8	9
General farms, primarily crop	8	9
Agricultural production - livestock	5	6
Livestock, except dairy and poultry	3	4
Agricultural services	3	4
Construction	9	11
Special trade contractors	7	8
Roofing, siding, and sheet metal work	3	4
Miscellaneous special trade contractors	3	4
Manufacturing	8	9
Transportation and public utilities	10	12
Local and interurban passenger transportation	3	4
Trucking and warehousing	6	7
Trucking and courier services, except air	6	7
Trucking, except local	5	6
Wholesale trade	6	7
Wholesale trade-nondurable goods	4	5
Retail trade	12	14
Automotive dealers and service stations	3	4
Services	8	9
Government	12	14

¹ Classified according to the *Standard Industrial Classification Manual, 1987*.

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